



REPORT NO. 11 OF 2015
PUBLIC SERVICE CO-ORDINATING BARGAINING COUNCIL (PSCBC)

Conciliation started on the 10th of April 2015, and will continue through the 14th and 15th of April 2015. Council was only able to deal with the Government Employee Housing Scheme (GEHS), and no agreement was reached despite an all-night session.

The Employer proposed:

- Increasing the housing allowance from R1 100 per month to R1 200 per month;
- Of this, R900 would go directly to members' pockets and the remaining R300 would be diverted to a savings scheme;
- The ten-year maximum saving period would be removed; and
- Forfeiture of savings would remain in place for employees who are dismissed.

Labour rejected this proposal from the Employer, and persisted with its housing demand of R1 500 per month across the board.

The meeting was adjourned on the morning of the 11th of April 2015, and is continuing today and tomorrow (14th and 15th April).

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